

## 瘦花香茶菜的微量成分

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**摘要** 从唇形科瘦花香茶菜(*Rabdosia rosthornii*)叶的乙醚抽出物中分出 2 个新的微量成分, 瘦花丙素和丁素。基于详细的光谱分析, 包括应用二维核磁共振数据, 瘦花丙素和丁素的化学结构分别确定为对映-11 $\alpha$ -乙酰氧基-7 $\beta$ ,13 $\beta$ ,19-三羟基贝壳杉-16-烯-15-酮 (1)和对映-11 $\alpha$ -乙酰氧基-7 $\beta$ ,12 $\beta$ ,14 $\alpha$ -三羟基贝壳杉-16-烯-15-酮 (2)。

**关键词** 瘦花丙素, 瘦花丁素, 瘦花香茶菜, 唇形科

## Minor Constituents from *Rabdosia rosthornii*

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**Abstract** Two new ent-kaurenoids, rosthornin C and D, with rosthornin A and B, have been isolated from the ethereal extract of the leaves of *Rabdosia rosthornii*. The chemical structures of the two minor constituents have been established as ent-11 $\alpha$ -acetoxy-7 $\beta$ ,13 $\beta$ ,19-trihydroxykaur-16-en-15-one (1) and ent-11 $\alpha$ -acetoxy-7 $\beta$ ,12 $\beta$ ,14 $\alpha$ -trihydroxykaur-16-en-15-one (2), respectively, on the basis of detailed spectroscopic analysis, including 2D NMR data.

**Key words** Rosthornin C and D, *Rabdosia rosthornii*, Labiatae

## INTRODUCTION

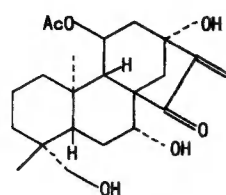
*Rabdosia rosthornii* is distributed mainly over southwestern Sichuan and northern Guizhou. The decoctions of this plant are used in Chinese traditional medicine against pyrexia, oedema and abdominal distension (Wu *et al.*, 1977). As a constitution of our phytochemical investigations for the biologically active constituents from *Rabdosia* plants, the structures of two new diterpenoids, rosthornin A and B, isolated from the leaves of *R. rosthornii* was reported previously (Xu *et al.*, 1989). The present paper was described the isolation and the structural determination of minor constituents, rosthornin C and D, from same source.

## RESULTS AND DISCUSSION

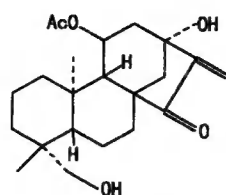
**Rosthornin C (1)**, C<sub>22</sub>H<sub>32</sub>O<sub>6</sub>, M 392, showed the presence of two methyl groups, seven methylene

groups, four methine groups, four quaternary carbons, two olefinic carbons, one ketonic carbon and one acetoxy signal in the  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (DEPT) spectrum (Table 1). **1** has a five-membered ketone conjugated with an exo-methylene group, judging from the following spectral data:  $\text{UV}_{\text{max}}^{\text{EtOH}}$  229 nm ( $\log \epsilon$  3.72);  $\text{IR}_{\text{max}}^{\text{KBr}}$   $\text{cm}^{-1}$ : 1705 and 1640;  $^1\text{H}$  NMR  $\delta$ : 6.22, 5.72 (each 1H, ABd,  $J = 1.5$  Hz);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR  $\delta$ : 154.9 (s), 112.3 (t) (double bond) and 207.3 (s) (ketone) (Xu *et al.*, 1981). Its IR spectrum showed the characteristic absorption of hydroxyl groups at 3550 and 3500  $\text{cm}^{-1}$  and ester group at 1735 and 1230  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . The presence of a secondary acetoxy group was suggested by its  $^1\text{H}$  NMR data:  $\delta$  1.97 (3H, s) and proton signal at  $\delta$  5.50 (1H, d,  $J = 5.1$  Hz) attached to the acetoxy-bearing carbon. Three hydroxyl signals at  $\delta$  7.25, 6.48 and 5.64 (each 1H,  $3 \times \text{OH}$ ) and a triple-doublet signal at 4.60 and AB signal at 3.90 and 3.69 (each 1H, ABdd,  $J = 10.4, 5.1$  Hz) indicated the existence of a primary, a secondary and a tertiary hydroxyl. The above-mentioned data and two tertiary methyl signals at  $\delta$  1.17 and 1.10 suggested that this compound has a typical 15-oxo-*ent*-kaurene nucleus as a basic skeleton (Fujita *et al.*, 1976). The location of four oxygen functional groups were deduced as follows. The chemical shift value of C-4 ( $\delta$  39.2) suggested that there is an oxygen functional substituent on the  $\alpha$  position (C-3, 5, 18 or 19); The  $\delta$  value of C-18 ( $\delta$  28.0) and C-19 (64.4) suggested that a hydroxyl group was located at C-19 (Gonzalez *et al.*, 1981). The chemical shift value of C-10 ( $\delta$  38.9) was shown no oxygen functional substituent on its  $\alpha$  position (C-1, 5, 9, 20). The downfield shift of C-6 and C-8 to  $\delta$  29.6 and 60.0, indicated that a hydroxyl group might be presented at the  $7\alpha$  position (Xu *et al.*, 1981; Nomoto *et al.*, 1976). The  $\delta$  value of C-9 ( $\delta$  59.2) and C-12 (47.4) are suggested that there is an acetoxy group at C-11 position; this acetoxy group is in  $\beta$  orientation by  $^1\text{H}$  NMR data: 5.50 (1H, d,  $J = 5.1$  Hz) (Matsuo *et al.*, 1978). the tertiary hydroxyl group was located at  $13\alpha$ -position judging from the downfield shift of C-12 and C-16 to  $\delta$  47.4 and 154.9, respectively (Kohda *et al.*, 1976). Therefore, the chemical structure of rosthornin C(**1**) could be represented as *ent*-11 $\alpha$ -acetoxy-7 $\beta$ ,13 $\beta$ ,19-trihydroxykaur-16-en-15-one (**1**). This presumption was supported by its COSY spectrum.

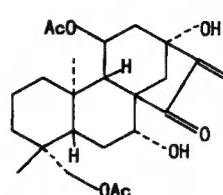
**Rosthornin D (2)**,  $\text{C}_{22}\text{H}_{32}\text{O}_6$ ,  $M$  392, showed the presence of three methyl groups, four methylene groups, seven methine groups, three quaternary carbons, two olefinic carbons, one ketonic carbon and one acetoxy signal in the  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (DEPT) spectrum (Table 1). **2** has a five-membered ketone conjugated with an exo-methylene group, judging from the following spectral data:  $\text{UV}_{\text{max}}^{\text{EtOH}}$  228.5 nm ( $\log \epsilon$  3.76);  $\text{IR}_{\text{max}}^{\text{KBr}}$   $\text{cm}^{-1}$ : 1700 and 1630;  $^1\text{H}$  NMR  $\delta$ : 6.19, 5.44 (each 1H, br s);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR  $\delta$ : 144.2 (s), 119.4 (t) (double bond) and 206.9 (s) (ketone) (Xu *et al.*, 1981). Its IR spectrum showed the characteristic absorption of hydroxyl groups at 3490 and 3450  $\text{cm}^{-1}$  and ester group at 1728 and 1225  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . The presence of a secondary acetoxy group was suggested by its  $^1\text{H}$  NMR data:  $\delta$  1.86 (3H, s, OAc) and proton signal at  $\delta$  4.83 (1H, br s) attached to the acetoxy-bearing carbon. Three secondary hydroxyl signals at  $\delta$  5.18 (1H, br s), 4.44 (1H, dd,  $J = 12.5, 4.8$  Hz) and 3.87 (1H, d,  $J = 3.7$  Hz). The above-mentioned data and three tertiary methyl signals at  $\delta$  1.24, 0.91 and 0.86 suggested that this compound has a typical 15-oxo-*ent*-kaurene nucleus as a basic skeleton (Fujita *et al.*, 1976). The location of four oxygen functional groups were deduced as follows. The chemical shift value of C-4 ( $\delta$  33.3) suggested no oxygen functional substituent on the  $\alpha$  position (C-3, 5, 18 or 19); the chemical shift value of C-10 ( $\delta$  39.1) suggested no oxygen functional substituent on its  $\alpha$  position (C-1, 5, 9, 20). The downfield shift of C-6 and C-8 to  $\delta$  27.8 and 59.6, indicated that a hydroxyl



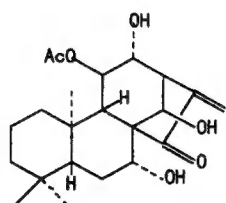
Rosthornin C(1)



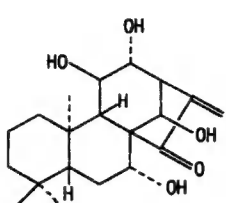
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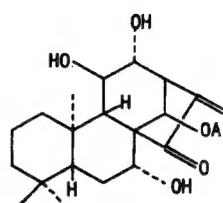
Rosthornin B(4)



Rosthornin D(2)



Rabdloxin B(5)



Rabdokumin A(6)

Table 1  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR data of rosthornin C (1), A (3), B (4), D (2)\*, rabdloxin B (5) and rabdokumin A (6) in  $\text{C}_5\text{D}_5\text{N}$ .

Carbons	1	3	4	2*	5	6
1	37.0 t	35.9 t	36.2 t	39.0 t	39.5 t	39.4 t
2	18.5 t	18.3 t	18.1 t	18.2 t	18.7 t	18.8 t
3	36.0 t	33.9	36.9 t	41.4 t	41.8 t	41.9 t
4	39.2 s	39.1 s	37.2 s	33.3 s	33.3 s	33.4 s
5	53.0 d	56.0 d	52.6 d	52.9 d	53.2 d	52.5 d
6	29.6 t	19.0 t	29.2 t	27.8 t	29.6 t	29.0 t
7	70.3 d	39.7 t	69.8 d	75.0 d	74.8 d	73.3 d
8	60.0 s	53.5 s	59.7 s	59.6 s	60.1 s	61.4 s
9	59.2 d	59.3 d	58.9 d	62.3 d	67.6 d	68.9 d
10	38.9 s	39.0 s	38.6 s	39.1 s	39.0 s	39.2 s
11	69.9 d	69.4 d	69.6 d	72.0 d	70.9 d	70.8 d
12	47.4 t	46.5 t	47.2 t	76.0 d	79.1 d	79.8 d
13	75.3 s	74.9 s	75.1 s	52.0 d	54.6 d	53.9 d
14	39.7 t	45.0 t	39.3 t	70.1 d	71.6 d	72.9 d
15	207.3 s	207.3 s	206.8 s	206.9 s	208.0 s	206.7 s
16	154.9 s	154.1 s	154.7 s	144.2 s	147.6 s	146.3 s
17	112.3 t	112.7 t	112.3 t	119.4 t	116.0 t	115.4 t
18	28.0 q	27.9 q	27.4 q	33.5 q	33.4 q	33.6 q
19	64.4 t	64.2 t	66.8 t	21.6 q	21.8 q	21.9 q
20	18.5 q	18.2 q	18.1 q	16.9 q	17.4 q	17.2 q
OAc	169.2 s	169.0 s	170.7 s	169.5 s		171.4 s
	21.3 q	21.3 q	169.0 s	21.3 q		21.9 q
			21.2 q			
			20.6 q			

\* in  $\text{CDCl}_3$

group might be represented at the 7 $\alpha$  position (Xu *et al.*, 1981; Nomoto *et al.*, 1976). The  $\delta$  value of C-9 ( $\delta$ 62.3), C-8 (59.6) and C-13 (52.0) suggested that there are oxygen functional substituents at C-11, C-12 and C-14 positions (Nomoto *et al.*, 1976). Rosthornin D (2), its UV, IR,  $^1\text{H}$  and  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR were very similar to those of rabdoloxin B (5) (Sun *et al.*, 1991) and rabdokunmin A (6) (Zhang *et al.*, 1989). The only differences in the  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectra of 2 and 5 are the presence of an extra acetoxy signal ( $\delta$ 169.5 s and 21.3 q) and the upfield shift of the signals for C-9 and C-12 from 67.6 and 79.1 in 5 to 62.3 and 76.0 in 2. Therefore, the chemical structure of rosthornin D (2) could be established as 11-Acetylrabdoloxin B i.e. *ent*-11 $\alpha$ -acetoxy-7 $\beta$ ,12 $\beta$ ,14 $\alpha$ -trihydroxykaur-16-en-15-one (2) (Fujita *et al.*, 1981). This presumption was supported by its COSY spectrum.

## EXPERIMENTAL SECTION

**General.** Kofler melting points were uncorrected; Optical rotations were taken on a Jasco-20C digital polarimeter. IR were recorded on KBr discs with a Perkin-Elmer 577 spectrometer. UV was obtained in EtOH on a UV-210A spectrometer. EIMS (positive) were measured on a VG Auto Spec-3000 spectrometer with direct inlet 70 or 20 eV. FABMS negative used the 3-NBA as the matrix. NMR were run on a Bruker AM-400 spectrometer using TMS as internal standard; chemical shift values are reported in  $\delta$ (ppm) units ( $\text{C}_5\text{D}_5\text{N}$  and  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ). Coupling constants ( $J$ ) were expressed in Hz.

**Plant material** The same plant material was used as in previous report (Xu *et al.*, 1989).

**Extraction and isolation of constituents** The residue (3.0 g) from previous report was further submitted to CC (silica gel), eluting with EtOAc-Hexane and increasing proportions of EtOAc. Fractions were monitored by TLC. All components were further purified by a combination of prep. TLC (silica gel) and recrystallization yielding in order of increasing polarities: Rosthornin D (2, 14.0 mg), Rosthornin A (3, 146.5 mg), Rosthornin B (4, 188.4 mg), and Rosthornin C (1, 40.0 mg). The physical properties of the isolated compounds were as follows.

Rosthornin C (1),  $\text{C}_{22}\text{H}_{32}\text{O}_6$ , M 392, colorless needles, mp 174~176  $^{\circ}\text{C}$ ;  $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{25.7}$ -172.16 $^{\circ}$  (c 0.44, MeOH), UV  $\lambda_{\text{max}}^{\text{EtOH}}$  229 nm (log $\epsilon$  3.72);  $\text{IR}_{\text{max}}^{\text{KBr}}$  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ : 3550, 3500, 1735, 1705, 1640, 1230, 1110, 1092, 1045, 972, 950; FABMS negative  $m/z$ : 391 $[\text{M}-\text{H}]^+$ ;  $^1\text{H}$  NMR(400MHz,  $\text{C}_5\text{D}_5\text{N}$ )  $\delta$ : 7.25 (1H, br s, OH-13 $\alpha$ ), 6.48 (1H, d,  $J$ =4.8 Hz, OH-7 $\alpha$ ), 6.22, 5.72 (each 1H, ABd,  $J$ =1.5 Hz, H-17), 5.64 (1H, t,  $J$ =5.1 Hz, OH-19), 5.50 (1H, d,  $J$ =5.1 Hz, H-11 $\alpha$ ), 4.60 (1H, ddd,  $J$ =12.5, 4.8, 4.0 Hz, H-7 $\beta$ ), 3.90, 3.69 (each 1H, ABdd,  $J$ =10.4, 5.1 Hz, H-19), 2.97 (1H, dd,  $J$ =11.4, 2.2 Hz, H-14 $\beta$ ), 2.64 (1H, dd,  $J$ =14.3, 5.1 Hz, H-12 $\beta$ ), 2.51 (1H, d,  $J$ =11.4 Hz, H-14 $\alpha$ ), 2.47 (1H, dd,  $J$ =14.3, 1.5 Hz, H-12 $\alpha$ ), 2.32 (1H, dd, 12.5, 4.0 Hz, H-6 $\beta$ ), 2.06 (1H, br d,  $J$ =13.2 Hz, H-3 $\alpha$ ), 1.97 (3H, s, OAc), 1.96(1H, br d,  $J$ =14.4 Hz, H-1 $\alpha$ ), 1.86 (1H, q,  $J$ =12.5 Hz, H-6 $\alpha$ ), 1.62 (1H, br s, H-9 $\beta$ ), 1.61 (1H, br q, 14.3 Hz, H-2 $\alpha$ ), 1.36 (1H, br dd,  $J$ =14.3, 3.3 Hz, H-2 $\beta$ ), 1.18 (1H, d, 12.5 Hz, H-5 $\beta$ ), 1.17 (3H, s, Me-18), 1.10 (3H, s, Me-20), 0.98 (2H, m, H-1 $\beta$  and H-3 $\beta$ ).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (100MHz,  $\text{C}_5\text{D}_5\text{N}$ )  $\delta$ : See Table 1.

**Rosthornin D (2)**,  $\text{C}_{22}\text{H}_{32}\text{O}_6$ , M 392, colorless needles, mp 152~154 $^{\circ}\text{C}$ ;  $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{25.7}$ -111.23 $^{\circ}$  (c 0.39, MeOH), UV  $\lambda_{\text{max}}^{\text{EtOH}}$  228.5 nm (log $\epsilon$  3.76);  $\text{IR}_{\text{max}}^{\text{KBr}}$  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ : 3490, 3450, 1728, 1700, 1630, 1225, 1105, 1085, 1042, 970, 945; FABMS negative  $m/z$ : 391 $[\text{M}-\text{H}]^+$ ;  $^1\text{H}$  NMR(400MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$ : 6.19, 5.44 (each 1H, br s, H-17), 5.18 (1H, br s, H-14 $\alpha$ ), 4.83 (1H, br s, H-11 $\alpha$ ), 4.44 (1H, dd,  $J$ =12.5, 4.8 Hz, H-7 $\beta$ ), 3.87 (1H, d,  $J$ =3.7 Hz, H-12 $\beta$ ), 3.13 (1H, m, H-13 $\alpha$ ), 1.98 (1H, ddd,  $J$ =12.5, 5.1, 4.8 Hz, H-6 $\beta$ ), 1.86 (3H, s, OAc),

1.76 (1H, q,  $J = 12.5$  Hz, H-6 $\alpha$ ), 1.74 (1H, m, H-1 $\alpha$ ), 1.58 (1H, m, H-2 $\alpha$ ), 1.43 (1H, br s, H-9 $\beta$ ), 1.43 (2H, m, H-2 $\beta$  and H-3 $\beta$ ), 1.24 (3H, s, Me-20), 1.13 (1H, m, H-3 $\alpha$ ), 0.97 (1H, dd,  $J = 12.5, 5.1$  Hz, H-5 $\beta$ ), 0.91 (3H, s, Me-18), 0.86 (3H, s, Me-19), 0.78 (1H, m, H-1 $\beta$ ).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (100 MHz,  $\text{C}_5\text{D}_5\text{N}$ )  $\delta$ : See Table 1.

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